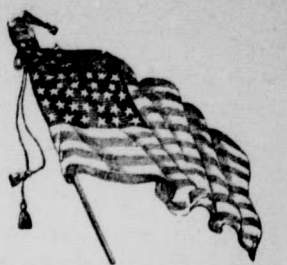




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## CELEBRATE FIRST YEAR OF WAR BY SUBSCRIBING TO THE THIRD LIBERTY LOAN

It's "over the top" tomorrow and on with the Third Liberty Loan campaign. It will be a fitting celebration of the anniversary of America's entry into the war.

Tonight in the city hall there will be a meeting of the Distribution Committee in preparation for active work. For several weeks plans have been in the making under direction of Chairman F. W. Nuetzel and the original Liberty Loan Committee.

For the purpose of making a thorough canvass the town has been divided into ten districts, each assigned to a captain and team of workers. The various teams are as follows, the captains being named first:

- 1—W. J. Lawless, E. C. Carhart, W. E. Walker.
- 2—J. N. Hawks, C. J. Pegler, W. S. Andrews.
- 3—Louis Dietz, J. M. Hooker, G. C. Rodell.
- 4—F. P. Sperry, A. G. Stone, C. W. Forman.
- 5—K. M. Ham, W. C. Lynch, C. C. Wilson, Woodson F. Jones.
- 6—Chas. S. Kersting, Robert Mitchell, Dr. L. L. Krebs, Carl Young.
- 7—J. D. Mackerras, G. L. Kelley, C. L. Dickey.
- 8—W. W. Collins, Arthur Johnson, Jr., W. H. Holabird.
- 9—K. Kashitani, Chas. Nomura, Kay Takaoka.
- 10—Geo. A. Leaming, I. G. Carter.

In the absence of Chairman Nuetzel, who is called east by the serious illness of his father, the headquarters work will be in charge of C. W. Jones.

Distribution of advertising matter will be in charge of George B. Morgridge, F. H. Hartman and H. W. Sander, with the assistance of the Boy Scouts. In addition to the literature and posters to be distributed Chairman Nuetzel has secured the hearty cooperation of a number of patriotic merchants in a series of advertisements to be presented in the columns of the Sierra Madre News.

It was generally supposed that this loan would be considerably larger than the second, but the amount was smaller instead, being limited to \$3,000,000,000 by the terms of an act of congress. However, the right is reserved to accept oversubscriptions, the presumption being that the legal path may be cleared. There is no question that the money will all be needed.

That Sierra Madre will do her part cannot be doubted in view of the remarkable record of the past year in previous loans, the Red Cross and Y. M. C. A. drives, and most especially, the almost unanimous answer by available men to the call to the colors.

Card index records have been prepared so that no one will be overlooked in this campaign. Every family will be expected to respond or give a good reason for not doing so. It will be a case of "if not, why not?" and the returns will be tabulated and kept as permanent records. Sierra Madre must win her Honor Flag. And no one will want to be missing from the Honor Roll.

In view of the magnitude of the task, it will be readily seen that citizens can perform a patriotic service by coming forward with their subscriptions and not

wait to be sought out and argued with.

One business man said, "I didn't subscribe to the first loan, I let them hunt me up for the second loan, but they will have to go some to avoid taking my subscription to the third." May there be many more like him!

### PROUD RECORD SHOWN BY SERVICE FLAG

#### Sierra Madre Sends Remarkable List of Soldiers to the Colors

Sierra Madre ought to claim a record for the unanimous answer of her boys to the call to arms. As nearly as can be ascertained, we are entitled to fifty-five stars on the big Service flag. Compare this with the total registration of 85, including married men, aliens and invalids and we have a remarkable showing. It is doubtful if there is left an unmarried American of draft age who could pass the physical test.

Sierra Madre is well represented at Rockwell Field, the army aviation school at San Diego. All the boys who went down recently for examination were accepted and are now in quarantine, expecting to be out this week. Victor Hill, Gail Williams, Raymond Hedderly and Harry Leaming are now members of the Casual Detachment, but that does not excuse them from drill and hard work.

Electrical Sgt. George Whitworth who has been at the Coast Artillery training school, Fortress Monroe, Va., is expected to arrive at home Saturday for a short visit. He is reported to have passed his examinations recently and to have been given a commission.

Private Maurice Goldberg has been assigned to the 47th Infantry, Co. M. and Private Mervyn Hope to the 39th Infantry, Headquarters Co., both being at Camp Greene, N.C.

Norman Olsen left Wednesday night for Camp Lewis. He was on the road in Utah for the Brownstein-Louis Co., when orders came for him to report in 48 hours. He was notified by telegraph but it was several days before he could reach home, the district board having been notified of the circumstances.

### BARBECUE ATTRACTS CROWD TO MESA

The home of Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Vogel was the mecca of a large crowd who took advantage of the opportunity to enjoy an unusually fine sightseeing trip and to enjoy a barbecue dinner prepared by a famous Spanish chef. Inspection of the beautiful grounds, the magnificent vista across the valley and town were pronounced well worth the trip. But the dinner was enough to delight any epicure. Besides the young calf and pig provided by the Vogels, there was a fine young pig from the ranch of Mr. and Mrs. Innis Kinney. There was fine attendance both at noon and in the evening and the proceeds for the Red Cross will amount to more than \$100.

### CARD PARTY TONIGHT

There will be a card party tonight in the club house under the auspices of the Service Committee to raise much needed funds to buy wool for the Sierra Madre boys' outfits. Admission 35 cents. Eight o'clock.

### "ALL KINDS OF THINGS FLYING AROUND HERE"

(From Lient. Charles L. Camp)

France, Feb. 19, 1918

Dear Folks:

I am back with the battery now after about a month of about every job in the artillery. Have been traveling around so fast that my bed roll and razor haven't been able to keep up with me and I've slept in two dirty horse-blankets and camped in old dugouts wherever I could squeeze in up along the front line. Now I'm itchy all over and think I must have the mange. Don't get much sleep because it's too interesting to go to bed in the day time and my work keeps me up a lot at night. Was with the infantry for a week and had a fine time with them; it's a great game. Two armies sitting on each side of "bad land" watching across and all kinds of things flying around through the atmosphere, and fireworks all night to keep each other awake.

Every clear day (and night) the airplanes put on a performance of some kind. The "antis" fill the sky with pretty little patches of white smoke—while the planes duck and dodge and a bugle warns all spectators to take shelter from falling shrapnel (a warning that very few pay much attention to). Sometimes a couple of planes will be fighting with machine guns while the archies are shooting at them. There is a fine seat out in the trenches that they call the "theater," where you can go and watch plane fighting, but you sometimes have to use a rain check or rather "shell check" when the artillery begins.

My "tin derby" makes my head ache and my neck stiff after a long walk or ride and none of the soldiers think much of their helmets. A couple of doughboys were overheard talking on an accident—a shell had hit a man directly on the head—one said, "I always knew these tin lids were no account anyhow." Of course, the things were designed only for shrapnel and splinters.

We are required to wear so many gas masks and other equipment that every soldier looks like a walking department store window.

Our chaplain is a famous old regular army "padre," who was in the Spanish war and Mexican trouble. The place where he lives, a little town near here, still has eight women and four old Frenchmen who will not leave their homes. They have been here under shell fire all through the war and their houses are filled with shell holes. Shrapnel has killed their chickens and pigs and their horses were taken away.

In one family only two women are left—the mother and daughter. Their eight men folks are buried nearby. They have had to leave only once and that was when 500 Germans marched into the village. That night they slept in the woods. They had orders to leave a few days ago and were feeling pretty bad, when they finally were allowed to stay.

The padre asked them why they didn't go away and they said that they had no place to go. They owned several houses and farms which have all been destroyed but this one and the girl keeps things going now by digging in fields which are pitted with shell holes. Of course, they have gas masks and it is funny to watch them try to put on the awkward things. They are so foolish that they take off

### POSTMASTERS AGENTS FOR FARM LABOR

Government Making Efforts to Provide Needed Workers For Crops

A special farm-service division is being established in most of the 100 offices of the United States Employment Service as one of the plans for meeting the labor requirements of the farmers. Special field agents are being sent into districts where acute farm-labor shortage exists or where unusually large numbers will be needed.

A weekly bulletin will be issued in which opportunities for farm employment and the needs of certain districts will be listed. Posters announcing the location of federal and state employment offices are being hung in post offices, railway stations, and other public places.

All third and fourth class post offices, of which there are 55,000, are now authorized farm-labor employment offices. During the harvest season in certain states temporary offices will be opened in a number of cities for the purpose of furnishing accurate information as to where harvest hands are needed.

A weekly report of farm-labor main office at Washington by all conditions is being sent to the main office at Washington by all the branch offices and by many state employment offices.

The cooking school conducted by Chef A. L. Wyman for the Southern California Edison Co., last week was well attended and thoroughly appreciated by the ladies of Sierra Madre. Samples of food prepared by Mr. Wyman were sold, realizing about \$7.00 which was donated to the Red Cross.

### CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

#### A Community Church

Charles C. Wilson, Minister.

Subject of sermon at the morning service April 7 will be "The Sins That Crucified Jesus." At the evening service Mr. Wilson will talk on "The Crime of Caste."

The masks every few minutes to laugh at each other and they think it a big joke when a shell bursts nearby.

A "77" shell came a little too close even for them one day. The thing came through the roof and ceiling above the bed (where I've been sleeping lately) and went into the wall directly behind the fireplace where the two women were sitting at the time. The shell failed to explode, and they don't care to discuss the reason why.

The padre thinks it a miracle that all the Virgin Marys in the ruined churches here have been spared, although shells have destroyed everything around them. One night at 10 o'clock during shell fire I met the Padre's orderly carrying one of these huge plaster images on his shoulder and softly swearing to himself while his helmet swung delicately balanced on one ear. I tried to help him and nearly dropped the lady. If anything had happened to her we would probably have had a message from the kaiser then and there.

The chaplain thought he had track of a spy in the church tower, signalling across the lines, but it turned out to be some Frenchmen catching pigeons for next day's dinner.

It is hard to find time and means to write often lately, but I think of you a lot just the same and know that you won't worry about me. Yours,

## LOCAL CLEANINGS

The Eleyen-and-One Club met at the home of Miss Ethel Powell Tuesday evening.

Mrs. A. E. Johnson was the guest of Mrs. N. E. Benoit of Ocean Park last week.

W. C. Davis returned home on Saturday after spending two weeks in San Francisco.

Miss Rachel Teale of San Francisco was the guest of Mrs. D. C. Ashmore on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Caley of Pasadena were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Caley on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Welsher spent Sunday with Mrs. C. S. Seeley and family of Pasadena.

Mrs. W. R. Church and son Edward of Helena, Mont., have taken a cottage on Auburn Ave., for a few weeks.

Mrs. Amelia Jensen is spending the week at Avalon with Dr. Campbell and Miss Mae Campbell of Claremont.

F. W. Nuetzel left Thursday night for Memphis, Tenn., being called there by the serious illness of his father.

Rev. C. C. Wilson is spending the week on Catalina Island at the semi-annual retreat of the Congregational Ministers' Association.

Miss Rose Brown and Mrs. James Hustis of Honolulu and Mrs. G. H. Lettean were luncheon guests of Mrs. J. T. Mason on Thursday.

On account of the presence of measles in the community, the primary department of the Congregational Sunday School will not meet for two Sundays.

Mrs. E. L. Yerxa, Mrs. D. C. Ashmore, Mrs. Innis Kinney and Miss Margaret Hawk were dinner guests of Mrs. George B. Morgridge Monday evening.

Mrs. Sperry, Mrs. Lawless, Mrs. E. L. Yerxa, Mrs. Frank J. Hart and her guest, Miss Lee, were among the guests at a delightful luncheon given by Mrs. Will Preston of Los Angeles on Wednesday.

Dr. and Mrs. R. H. Mackerras, Miss Lillian Moore and Miss MacFarlane of the Good Samaritan Hospital of Los Angeles motored to Camp Kearney last Friday to see the review of the Sunshine Division.

Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Kelly left last week for Glendale where they will spend a year. Their home on South Mountain Trail will be occupied by Geo. E. Shay and family who have been living on Grand View.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. E. Preston of Harbor City, Mrs. Fred Butterworth and daughter Louise of Seattle and Mr. Junior Maxwell of Los Angeles were guests of the Misses Preston and Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Hartman Sunday.

Misses Harriet Sperry, Virginia Jones, Lillian Wyvell, Lorraine Wright, Emeline Rust, Alice Thorngren, Etna Stout, Mrs. Stout of Pasadena and Mrs. F. P. Sperry attended the dance given for the soldiers and sailors at the Friday Morning Club in Los Angeles last Saturday afternoon.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. George Humphries was the scene of a delightful family reunion on Easter Sunday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Humphries of San Francisco, Mrs. Gladys Fisk of Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Baugh and son Robert and the Misses Hilda and Lottie Humphries of Los Angeles, and Mr. and Mrs. H. I. Hawhurst.

## PATRIOTIC TALK INSPIRING TO BIG CROWD

"There's only one place I'd rather be than California right now—and that's in France," said Lt. Col. Hennessey.

"The most commanding figure in Christendom today is President Wilson," said Judge B. F. Bledsoe.

Those two statements were given the most enthusiastic applause in an evening of rousing moments at the Board of Trade banquet Monday night. Never was there an event here when the spirit of red hot patriotism was more in evidence.

Considerably more than 100 men sat down to the delicious dinner served by the ladies of the Woman's Club. It was a delicious meal, strictly Hooverish, and with added zest in the form of some April fool spice in the heart of innocent looking balls of cottage cheese.

President Mitchell presided, and the Sierra Madre band provided excellent music during the serving of the dinner.

Lt. Col. Hensley spoke before the dinner was served, having received a sudden call to Arcadia on account of the arrival of a detachment of men at the balloon school site. His speech was brief, with the directness and earnestness of a soldier who understands the seriousness of the job ahead.

"We're going to win—never doubt that," he said. But proceeded to relate incidents illustrative of the kind of foe we have in the Hun. He extended a cordial invitation to Sierra Madre people, especially ladies, to visit the balloon school when it is in operation.

### Judge Bledsoe

"Finest thing I ever heard in Sierra Madre," was a comment frequently heard concerning the address of Judge Bledsoe. It was so much the winning personality of the man and his splendid delivery that it is difficult to give any adequate account of it.

Beginning by reading some of those quotations from German teachers, soldiers and statesmen which damn the Hun in the mind of the rest of the world, Judge Bledsoe showed why it will be necessary not merely to defeat the German army, but to whip every man, child and animal which harbors that kind of philosophy. The German people have been fed up on that sort of thing until they believe it and to that extent it is necessary to disagree with the sentiment of President Wilson that our war is against the rulers and not against the rulers and not the

Undivided, enthusiastic loyalty to the United States is the absolute requirement of every resident of this country now, he declared. As President Wilson said, you will either cooperate or obstruct. He who obstructs gives aid and comfort to the enemy. He who gives aid and comfort to the enemy deserves, not to be taken out and shot at sunrise, but to be taken out right now and strung up under a tree. The applause which greeted that statement would have sent a shiver up the spine of any pro-German who got the real force of it.

Mrs. J. H. Burton of Ocean Park returned to her home last week after a pleasant visit with her sister, Mrs. Humphries.



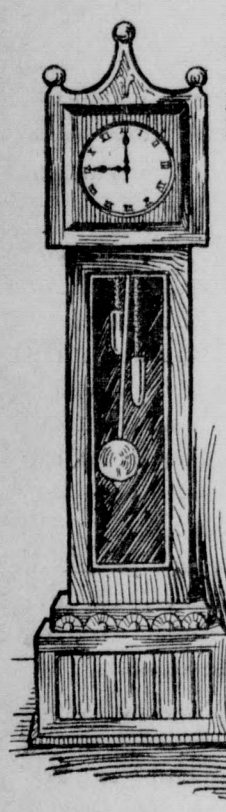
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Saturday, 10-11 a. m.

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Sheriff's Sale No. B54579

Order of Sale and Decree of  
Foreclosure and Sale

Security Trust & Savings Bank, a corporation, Plaintiff, vs. Mary L. Kelley Fisher, formerly Mary L. Kelley, Defendant.

Under and by virtue of an order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, issued out of the Superior Court of the County of Los Angeles, of the State of California, on the 26th day of March, A. D. 1918, in the above entitled action, wherein Security Trust and Savings Bank, a corporation, the above named plaintiff, obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against Mary L. Kelley Fisher, formerly Mary L. Kelley, defendant, on the 18th day of March, A. D. 1918, for the sum of Forty-seven hundred sixty-six and 68/100 (\$4766.68) Dollars, gold coin of the United States, which said decree was, on the 25th day of March, A. D. 1918, recorded in Judgment Book 430 of said Court, at page 47, I am commanded to sell all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the City of Pasadena, County of Los Angeles, State of California, and bounded and described as follows:

Lot eight (8) of Lyman & Stevens' Subdivision of the East 230 feet of lot seven (7) in block "B" of the San Pasqual Tract, as per map recorded in book 11, page 76, miscellaneous records of said county. Together with the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining.

Public notice is hereby given, that on Monday, the 29th day of April, A. D. 1918, at 12 o'clock M. of that day in front of the Court House door of the County of Los Angeles, Broadway entrance, I will, in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, sell the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment, with interests and costs, etc., to the highest and best bidder, for cash gold coin of the United States.

Dated this 4th day of April, 1918.  
JNO. C. CLINE,  
Sheriff of Los Angeles County.  
By W. T. Osterholt, Deputy Sheriff.  
J. H. Shankland, Plaintiff's Attorney.  
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### MISSION PLAY NOW NEAR SEASON END

California Pageant Is in the  
Seventh Year of Its  
Popularity

The present very successful season of the Mission Play is drawing to a close. The great pageant drama has been running at San Gabriel since January 14, of this year, which is the seventh year in the history of the play.

During the remainder of the season large crowds are expected. Those who have seen the Mission Play will want to see it again. The trip to San Gabriel is so perfectly charming now in the lovely springtime of the year, and the play is so exquisitely attuned to the emotions that those who attend the performances undergo an experience never to be forgotten.

Nowal McGregor of Sierra Madre has won unstinted praise for his interpretation of the character of Father Serra. Local people who have seen the play during the season should not fail to go and see it before the season ends.

### CLUB PLANS DANCE AND VAUDEVILLE SHOW

On Friday, April 19, the Sierra Madre Woman's club will give a dinner dance and vaudeville show to take the place of the annual spring flower festival. Mr. Ernest Miller of Los Angeles and L. N. Legendre are arranging the program. There will be a number of high class attractions including "The Sterling Four Quartette"; Bernard Brown, clever violin soloist; Harold Lloyd, the well known Los Angeles tenor; Ernie Miller, with unique surprises, and eight-year-old Dorothy Warren, formerly of the Universal Film Co. Among the local attractions are Miss Elsa Kraft, with her charming personality; Mrs. Klunk, whose voice is always pleasing; dainty Misses Walker and Sperry, Harold Hart with his piano accordion, and the versatile Miss Williams. Reservations are limited to 200 and will close April 15. Tables can be reserved by calling Green 135.

### WOMAN'S CLUB NOTES

The Woman's Club will hold an open session next Monday afternoon. The afternoon will be spent informally and the ladies are asked to bring their work. The program will be in charge of Mrs. W. E. Farman and will be a musical program. Miss Phoebe Bowler, pianist, who will be one of the artists, has been heard here before, and those who have heard her will want to hear her again. A very cordial invitation is extended to all.

Reports are received every two weeks by the Food Administration from the 19 binder twine establishments of the country. According to a recent statement there will be an ample supply of twine for the 1918 harvest.

### HOW YOU CAN HELP THE RED CROSS SHOP

This feature of the Wistaria Fete in charge of the Dickens Fellowship is not a collection of antiques nor of fancywork only though both are included. To make it the success achieved in other places, we urgently ask you who are now reading this explanation to look over your unused treasures and see if you have not some that you are willing to give to be sold for the comfort and life of our soldiers. Anything in saleable condition (except old clothing which we do not want) will be acceptable, from a paper of pins to an oil painting, china, jewelry, old or new silver etc.

No matter how small your treasure, bring it to Red Cross headquarters today, or to Mrs. Tarr's residence, 274 W. Montecito, or if this is not possible, phone Black 139. Contributions of money also most acceptable.

In Pomona the Red Cross shop nets \$100 weekly. Let us make ours a rousing success. We can if you will "do your bitt" for it is strictly a community enterprise. Thank you!  
THE DICKENS FELLOWSHIP

### A FAIR QUESTION

The sponsors for the candidates opposing the Citizens' ticket call attention to the particular qualifications of the two trustees desiring re-election.

What reason can they give for the expense to which the tax payers have been put for the "white elephant" pump, being replaced at a big loss, and why was such a pump put on a pipe line unable to withstand the pressure? Capable engineering—we think not!

How many thousand dollars will this cost the taxpayers?

N. W. TARR

### NOTICE FOR BIDS

Bids will be received by the undersigned for the setting of eleven letter box posts at various points about town in connection with the mail delivery service. Full information can be secured at the post office.

GEORGE B. MORGRIDGE,

Postmaster.

Sierra Madre, March 30, 1918.

Cigarette books, book covers, and papers invoiced at the American consulate at Nantes, France, for the United States during 1917 were valued at nearly \$1,000,000.

### News Liners

FOR RENT—8 rm. house in fine condition, 2 baths; also 4 rm. bungalow. Both unfurnished. 2 blocks from car line. Phone Black 49. 7tf.

FOR SALE: Fine wire wheeled surrey, good condition. Phone Black 19. 27

FOR SALE: Fresh Toggenburg milk goats, also doe kids, fine buck 1 yr., from 7-quart milk strain. Phone Black 19. 27

LOST: Ladies' black pocketbook containing P. E. Book ticket and calling cards etc. Please return to News Office. 27

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### Authorized Statement

### WILL YOU CO-OPERATE OR WILL YOU OBSTRUCT?

When the President voiced this sentiment he directed it to every citizen in the United States. Only by cooperation will the United States and its Allies be able to defeat the "Beast of Belin."

It was in the spirit of cooperation that the Citizens' Committee met and selected a ticket for trustees of our city, consisting of business men of well known ability who had never been identified with any of the petty squabbles that have heretofore occupied the attention of our city trustees to the detriment of the general welfare of the community.

It is a well known fact that the affairs of our city are in such shape that they require the best executive, financial, legal and engineering ability that it is possible for us to obtain. Why should city business be allowed to remain in the hands of those who have not obtained satisfactory results? In our personal business it is not done, no matter how good a fellow the employee may be nor how much he needs the job.

When the present board of trustees passed the ordinance calling for an election, no one having announced themselves as candidates, it appeared that at last an opportunity had arisen whereby the citizens of Sierra Madre might cooperate and have the business positions of the city seek the men instead of filling the offices with candidates who for some personal reasons announced themselves as seeking the offices.

The Citizens' ticket was selected with a view to their thorough harmony and cooperation. As far as can be ascertained there are no conflicting interests to be specially represented by any one whose name appears on the ticket.

Cooperate with us by working and voting for:

### CITY TRUSTEES—

W. H. Holabird.  
Robert Mitchell.  
W. J. Saunders.  
Tasker M. Webster.

### CITY CLERK—

E. F. Ballou.

### CITY TREASURER—

Carlton J. Pegler.

Don't obstruct by trying to split the ticket, as perfect cooperation can only be obtained where there is harmony.

Don't obstruct by injecting into the civic body any of the elements that may revive certain issues, that although it is claimed they are dead, braying is still heard in our midst.

Don't obstruct the growth and welfare of our city by letting it be said that our city elections are controlled by intimidation in any form.

VOTE for the Citizens' ticket. You can't be neutral.

The Citizens' Committee want the question settled decisively whether or not the citizens of Sierra Madre want a safe, sound business administration.

This can only be settled in one way.

If you wish to obstruct VOTE against the ticket from top to bottom.

If you wish to cooperate vote for the Citizens' Ticket from top to bottom.

Will you cooperate,  
Or will you obstruct?  
**CITIZENS' CAMPAIGN  
COMMITTEE**

Since the declaration of war 1591 employees of the Department of Commerce have entered military and naval services.

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## Dinner Cabaret Dinner

FRIDAY EVENING, APRIL 29, 1918

## Woman's Club House

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Cabaret and Dance 75c  
(We pay War Tax)

Phone Green 135 for Table Reservations

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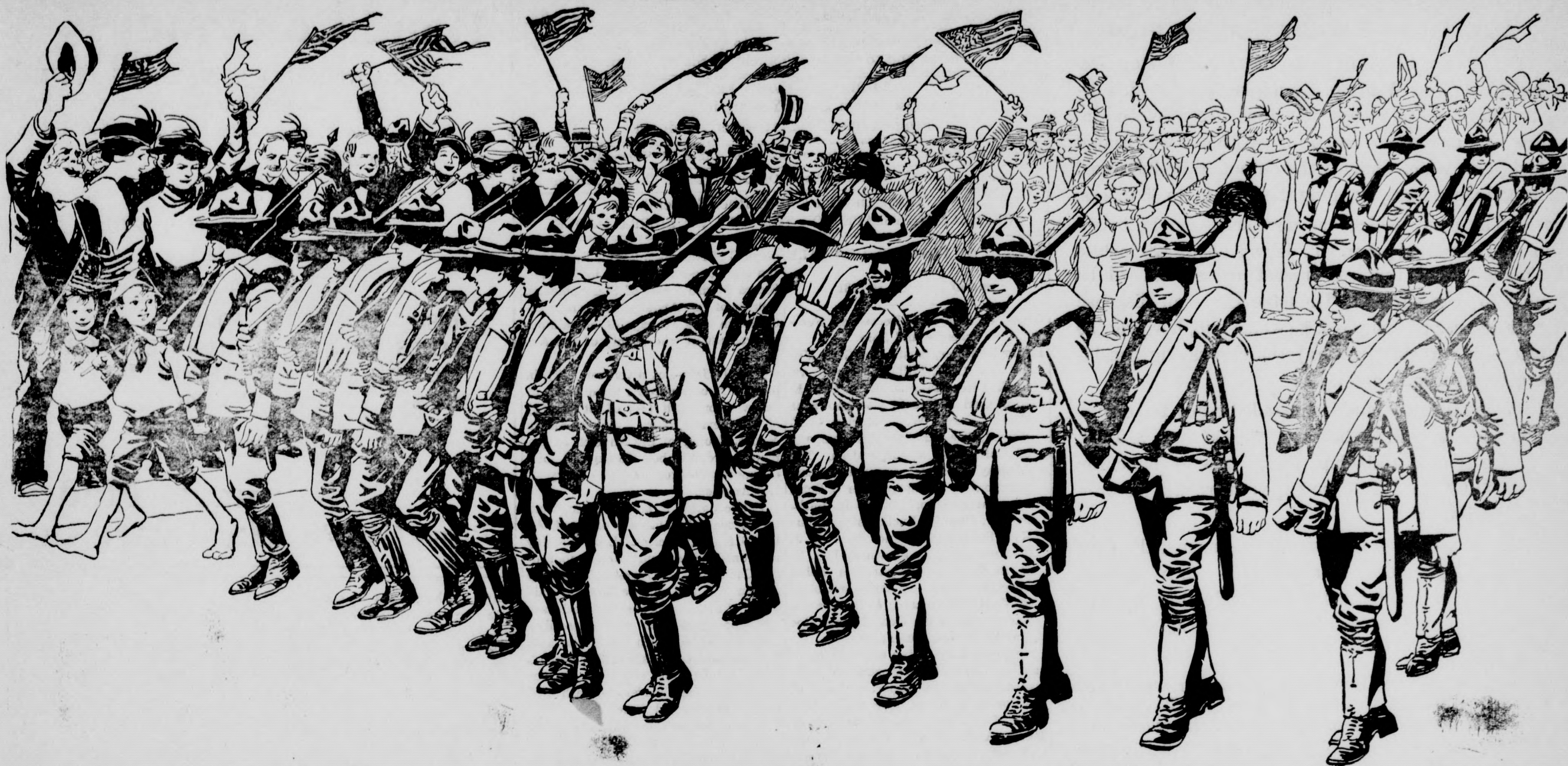
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14 N. Baldwin (East Side)

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JESSE R. OASTLER for City Trustee, (long term)

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# Will You **HELP** Bring Back The Boys of This Community?

Our boys, the boys from this town and this county and this state, are fighting the Huns. They are in the trenches in France, they are sailing the U-boat-infested seas, they are going "over the top" in the face of German cannon and machine gun fire.

Many, many more of our boys are now training and will soon be in France, and more are yet to be called.

And, remember, these are our boys; those who are near and dear to us. They are doing their ALL. They are giving their ALL. They are prepared to make the extreme sacrifice that our homes, our town, our nation, may escape the ravages of the Hun.

We want them—one and all—to come back to us—

## *Will You Help to Bring Them Back?*

Will you help to provide them with the things they need, with clothes and food and munitions, that they may complete as quickly as possible the terrible task assigned to them?

Will you support our boys while they are fighting for us, fighting the German autocracy that seeks to destroy our ideals of liberty and justice?

Compared to their heroic sacrifice our part is but small—that of providing the funds to keep them equipped; to build and man the ships that will transport their food, their clothes, their guns and their ammunition, and to pay for these things.

Yes, we, the people of this community, will support our boys.

**We will do it by buying bonds of the Third Liberty Loan; by buying all these bonds we can; by making such sacrifices as are necessary to do this. That will be our support for Our Boys.**

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## A FEW WORDS ABOUT THE NEW PUMP

For several years past the City Water Department operated Well No. 1 pumping plant which delivered about 20 inches of water. To meet the increasing demands a pump for well No. 2 was rented last year, which enabled the output to be increased by 45 inches more, bringing the total up to 65 inches.

The pump which has now been bought to replace the rented pump will deliver about 100 inches. This will be all that our present pipe system will be able to take care of. Thus the City can dispense with the use of pump No. 1 (which will, however, be available for emergencies,) thereby saving considerable expense in operation.

When the new pump is installed ready for operation the cost will be between \$9,000 and \$10,000. By the sale of a 100-h.p., motor now on hand for from \$1,000 to \$1,200 the expenditure will be only about \$8,000.

Through advantageous arrangements, the City will make payments of about \$750 each month, which can be readily met without crippling the City finances to meet usual running expenses.

Sierra Madre has invested in its water works about one hundred and fifty thousand dollars. To meet the interest and installments of principal of the water bonds, keep the system in repair, provide a sufficient emergency and working fund, arrange for the needed development of the system, are by far the most important subjects to come before the Board of Trustees.

Your water supply is a matter of dollars and cents to every owner of a home in the city and touches the convenience and comfort of every inhabitant.

To deal with this as well as with the other matters such as streets the city needs the best talent obtainable. The selection of a Board of Trustees is an affair of public importance into which personalities should enter as little as possible.

Many cities try to provide against a complete or nearly complete change in membership of their councils or Boards of Trustees, and this is done that new members may have the benefit of experience gained by those that hold over.

Two members of the present Board are willing to serve again—Messrs. Morton and Evans. It happens that each of them has made a special study of the water question and has acquired a fund of information of which it would seem the city ought to avail itself. Mr. Evans knows our labyrinth of water pipes as probably no other member of any of our Boards of Trustees has known it; he also has practical knowledge of pumps, engines and motors. Mr. Morton followed for years the profession of civil engineer, was chief engineer of an interurban road in New England, did important work as construction engineer in Honolulu and was engaged for similar work by the United States government. Of recent years he has been in charge of important mercantile affairs.

For the other two places on the Board, now held by Messrs. Dietz and Sperry who are not candidates, new men must be chosen. And it would seem that in Col. Holabird the city has an exceptional chance for securing an excellent servant. He has for many years handled large affairs, is a man of ripe experience and highest standing. It would seem also that Mr. Mitchell, by reason of his experience as a lawyer and business man, ought to prove a valuable member.

Therefore, David F. Morton, Willard A. Evans, W. H. Holabird and Robert Mitchell are most respectfully recommended by the undersigned to the voters for election as city trustees.

## CITY CLERK AND CITY TREASURER

Mr. Louis Dietz has announced his candidacy for the office of City Clerk. He has served the city as a member of the Board of Trustees for the past four years, which has familiarized him with every detail devolving upon the duties of the City Clerk.

By reason of his ability as an expert accountant he will be in a position to assist the Board of Trustees with proper knowledge as to accounts and finances. Being a large property holder for the past 17 years and a resident for the past 11 years, he has materially assisted in all public matters for the upbuilding and progress of Sierra Madre.

Mrs. Hulda O. Ingraham has placed her name before the people of Sierra Madre as a candidate for City Treasurer. Mrs. Ingraham is too well known to need further introduction here. She has been president of the Sierra Madre Womans Club, and prominently identified with every civic movement in the City, assuming her full share of the responsibility devolving upon the women of this day.

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## NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

Sheriff Sale No. B57281

## Order of Sale and Decree of Foreclosure and Sale

Lester F. Miller, trustee for G. E. Miller and G. E. Miller, Plaintiff, vs. L. C. Rice, Mary J. Rice, Guy E. Rice, Carl J. Keoell, also known as Carl J. Kevell, W. E. Morley, C. F. Wyvell, The Standard Oil Company of California, a corporation, The Lindsay Mercantile Company, a corporation, T. H. Buckmaster & Sons, a co-partnership, Thomas H. Buckmaster, Guy W. Buckmaster, Julius Kyle Buckmaster, and Mrs. M. J. Buckmaster, also known as Mrs. T. H. Buckmaster, co-partners doing business under the name and style of T. H. Buckmaster & Sons, a co-partnership, John Doe, Richard Roe and Mary Roe, Defendants.

Under and by virtue of an order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, issued out of the Superior Court of the County of Los Angeles, of the State of California, on the 14th day of March, A. D., 1918, in the above entitled action, wherein Lester F. Miller, etc., the above named plaintiff, obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against L. C. Rice, Mary J. Rice, et al, defendants, on the 5th day of March, A. D., 1918, for the sum of \$4329.08; also by the same decree judgment was obtained in favor of defendant, The Standard Oil Company of California, a corporation, for the sum of \$520.71 dollars gold coin of the United States, which said decree was, on the 12th day of March, A. D., 1918, recorded in Judgment Book 429 of said Court, at page 266, I am commanded to sell all those certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the City of Sierra Madre, County of Los Angeles, State of California, and bounded and described as follows:

Parcel "A"—Lots eight (8) to nineteen (19) inclusive in block B, and lots one (1) to seven (7) inclusive, and lots fourteen (14) to sixteen (16) inclusive, also the north 178 feet of lots eighteen (18) and nineteen (19) in

block C of Andrew's Re-Subdivision of the west one-half (½) of lot one (1) Sierra Madre Tract of Sierra Madre, County of Los Angeles, as per map recorded in book 16, page 13, miscellaneous records of said County of Los Angeles.

Parcel "B"—Lot seventeen (17) in block "C" of Andrew's Subdivision of the west one-half (½) of lot one (1) of the Sierra Madre Tract of Sierra Madre, County of Los Angeles, as per map recorded in book 16, page 13, miscellaneous records of said County of Los Angeles.

Public notice is hereby given, that, on Tuesday the 16th day of April, A. D., 1918, at 12 o'clock, M. of that day in front of the Court House door of the County of Los Angeles, Broadway entrance, I will, in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, sell the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment, with interests and costs, etc., to the highest and best bidder, for cash gold coin of the United States.

Dated this 21st day of March, 1918.

JNO. C. CLINE,

Sheriff of Los Angeles County.

By W. T. Osterholt, Deputy Sheriff.

R. P. Jennings, Plaintiff's Attorney.

## NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

Sheriff's Sale No. B49529

## Order of Sale and Decree of Foreclosure and Sale

Elizabeth A. Hedges, Plaintiff, vs. Edna E. Atkins, John D. Atkins, Lillie C. Spencer, A. Cecil Spencer, M. H. Kennicott, John Doe, Jane Doe, Richard Roe and Mary Roe, Defendants.

Under and by virtue of an order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, issued out of the Superior Court of the County of Los Angeles, of the State of California, on the 14th day of March, A. D. 1918, in the above entitled action, wherein Elizabeth A. Hedges, the above named plaintiff, obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against Edna E. Atkins, John D. Atkins, et al., defen-

## YOUR POLLING PLACE IS THE CITY HALL

If you want good government for Sierra Madre, be sure you do not fail to vote on Monday next and to mark your ballot as indicated below

City Trustee, Long Term	Vote for Three
WILLIAM H. HOLABIRD	X
ROBERT MITCHELL	X
DAVID F. MORTON	X
TASKER M. WEBSTER	
City Trustee, Short Term	Vote for One
WILLARD A. EVANS	X
WALTER J. SAUNDERS	
City Clerk	Vote for One
EDGAR F. BALLOU	
LOUIS DIETZ	X
City Treasurer	Vote for One
HULDAH O. INGRAHAM	X
CARLTON J. PEGLER	

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MAIN 6

## Announcement

On and after April 15th Mr. Welsher will own and manage the Central Market, and will continue to handle the best quality of meats, same as I have tried to. Wishing to thank all my friends for the support given me in past.

Respectfully yours,  
WM. DENNISON.

## CENTRAL MARKET

WM. DENNISON, Prop.

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